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Applicant: ROBERT V. BELENGER ET AL Group Art Unit: 2644
 Serial No.: 09/808,973 Examiner: C. P. Chau
 Filed: 16 March 2001 Customer No. 23523
 For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR REMOTELY AND AUTOMATICALLY
 CONTROLLING THE VOLUME OF AUDIO SIGNALS PRODUCED BY A
 REMOTELY CONTROLLED AUDIO DEVICE

PETITION FOR THE EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated 01 October 2003 for one month from 01 January 2004 to 01 February 2004.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 14-0590 in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to this Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) in the above-identified application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$110.00 under 37 CFR 1.17(a) to Deposit Account No. 14-0590.

Kindly charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 14-0590.

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Petition